Chief Secretary.—

I want notice.

Mr. Srinivasa Iyengar.—

Will the Government be pleased to state whether the loss of 13 lakhs has been included in the amount mentioned above?

Chief Secretary.—

Interest is not included in the capital invested in commercial concerns.

Mr. Srinivasa Iyengar.—

Is it the case even when the capital is borrowed as in the present case ?

Chief Secretary.—

I can only say that it is not included in the losses mentioned.

BY. MR. GURUSWAMI GOWDA (Hoskote Taluk).—

Q.—51. Will the Government be pleased to give information on the following:—

(*a*) The amount of loan granted to the Jodidars of Nandagudi Family on the mortgage of their Jodi villages.

(*b*) The amount outstanding when the mortgaged villages were brought under Government management.

(*c*) The balance of the loan amount that remained unpaid after adjusting the income of these villages up to the end of the year 1925-26.

(*d*) Have the Government ordered the grant of any concession in the matter of the balance of the loan amount due from Inamdars?

(*e*) If so, what is the amount in respect of which such concession is shown?

(*f*) The reason for the grant of such concession.

(*g*) Has any recommendation been made for the remission of arrears due from the Jodidars in respect of the lands in their khate since the villages were taken under the management of Government ?

(*h*) If so, are there no means for the recovery of the amount from the Jodidars ?

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, REVENUE DEPARTMENT.—

A.—51. (*a*) Rs. 64,341-7-8.

(*b*) Rs. 64,341-7-8 (Principal)
Rs. 7,306-12-1 (Interest)

Rs. 71,648-3-9

(*c*) Rs. 82,404-14-3 {Principal 64,341-7-8
Interest 18,063-6-7

(*d*) Yes; half the interest on the loan was remitted and the amount paid towards interest in excess of one-half adjusted in reduction of the principal, on condition that the balance of principal is paid in three months. The time has since been extended by another two months.

(*e*) Amount remitted Rs. 50,148-12-0.

(*f*) The concession was shown with a view to arrive at an equitable settlement of arrears long outstanding and to enable the Jodidars to redeem their property, if possible.

(*g*) Yes. (Rs. 4,547-10-2 was remitted by the Revenue Commissioner.)

(*h*) The amount was found irrecoverable.

Supplementary Questions.

Mr Guruswami Gowda.—

Do the Government consider it right to write off as big a sum as Rs. 50,000? Are not the lands valuable enough from which this amount could have been recovered?

Revenue Secretary.—

In the opinion of Government, the whole amount could not be recovered from the Jodidars and therefore they decided to recover as much as possible from them.

Mr. Guruswami Gowda.—

What was the amount due from them? Does it include only the principal, or interest or both?

Revenue Secretary.—

The answer is given in section (*c*). Out of it, the amount remitted was Rs. 50,148-12-0.

Mr. Guruswami Gowda.—

Were the Jodidars given the benefit of remission also during periods of scanty rainfall?

Revenue Secretary.—

The answer is given in section (*g*).

BY MR. B. VENKATANARANAPPA, (Mysore University Constituency).—

Q.—52 Will the Government be pleased to supply the following information with regard to the Primary Schools in the State:—

(1) The total number of schools in the State (A) State-managed, (B) Aided.

(2) The number of schools in each of the cities of Bangalore and Mysore (A) State-managed, (B) Aided.

(3) The total number of pupils both in the State and in each of the cities above-named (A) State-managed, (B) Aided.

(4) The total number of teachers trained and untrained both in the State and in each of the cities abovenamed (A) State-managed, (B) Aided.

(5) The number of schools with no separatebuildings of their own both in the State and in each of the cities abovenamed (A) State-managed, (B) Aided.

(6) The maximum and the minimum salary drawn by individual teachers both in the State and in each of the cities above-named (A) State-managed, (B) Aided.

CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.—

A.—52.

	A State-managed			B Aided		
	In the State	In Bangalore City	In Mysore City	In the State	In Bangalore City	In Mysore City
(1) ..	3,721	..	..	2,415	..	..
(2) ..	..	55	56	..	41	39
(3) ..	1,82,678	6,653	6,094	64,764	2,461	2,580
(4) Trained teachers.	2,981	158	134	113	23	11*
(Untrained teachers.	2,999	123	56	2,120	40	32*

* Does not include teachers in Girls' Schools as the information is not available.